

AMENDMENTS TO THE CLAIMS

Please amend the claims as follows:

1. (CURRENTLY AMENDED) An image print order system using a network, comprising:

an order receiving server which is connected to said network; and

a terminal unit connectable to said network, to which a ~~recording~~ computer-readable medium can be mounted; wherein

said terminal unit, when the ~~recording~~ computer-readable medium, storing a digital image data, a server-connection address information, and a designated print-order acceptor information, is mounted to the terminal unit, said terminal unit is connected to said order receiving server based on said server-connection address information so as to transmit said designated print-order acceptor information and at least a part of said digital image data at the same time to said order receiving server, and wherein

said order receiving server outputs a print command data based on the received digital image data, and a command data by which a receiver of an order in accordance with said designated print-order acceptor information can receive an image print that is printed based on said print command data.

2. (CURRENTLY AMENDED) ~~An~~ The image print order system according to claim 1, wherein said order receiving server is a WWW server.

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3. (CURRENTLY AMENDED) ~~An~~—The image print order system according to claim 2, wherein

said server-connection address information and said designated print-order acceptor information are recorded on said ~~recording~~ computer-readable medium as URL data for specifying a WWW page created for each receiver of the order, and

said terminal unit, after acquiring the data of the WWW page for each of said specified receivers of the order, transmits said digital image data to said WWW server.

4. (CURRENTLY AMENDED) ~~An~~—The image print order system according to claim 3, wherein the data of the WWW page for each of said specified receivers of the order includes data for acquiring data of a WWW page of another receiver than the receiver of the order according to said designated print-order acceptor information.

5. (CURRENTLY AMENDED) ~~An~~—The image print order system according to claim 3, wherein said terminal unit, when the receiver of the order according to said designated print-order acceptor information cannot receive the order, obtains a WWW page of a substitutive receiver of the order or a WWW page including order-receivable-receiver data.

6. (CURRENTLY AMENDED) ~~An~~ The image print order system according to any one of claims 1 to 5, wherein ~~said order receiving server, when said terminal unit,~~ when the receiver of the order according to said designated print-order acceptor information cannot receive the order, or when the receiver of the order is changed through ~~by selection of by~~ an order requester via said terminal unit, said order receiving server outputs command data ~~for making it possible so that another a receiver other~~ than the receiver of the order according to said designated print-order acceptor information receives said image print.

7. (CURRENTLY AMENDED) ~~An~~ The image print order system according to any one of claims 1 to 5, wherein said server-connection address information and designated print-order acceptor information are recorded when the digital image data is recorded in said ~~recording~~ computer-readable medium.

8. (CURRENTLY AMENDED) ~~An~~ The image print order system according to any one of claims 1 to 5, wherein said designated print-order acceptor information is data that specifies a receiver ~~of request to whom creation of that originally created~~ said recording computer-readable medium ~~has been requested.~~

9. (CURRENTLY AMENDED) ~~An~~The image print order system according to any one of claims 1 to 5, wherein said server-connection address information and said designated print-order acceptor information are renewable.

10. (CURRENTLY AMENDED) A ~~recording-computer-readable~~ medium on which digital image data has been recorded, which can be mounted to a terminal unit connectable to a network, and which stores therein connection address data to an order receiving server connected to said network, designated print-order acceptor information, and ~~data~~a run program for causing said terminal unit to connect to said order receiving server through said network when the ~~recording-computer-readable~~ medium is mounted to said terminal unit and to transmit said image data and said designated print-order acceptor information at the same time to said order receiving server so that said image data is printed according to said print-order acceptor information.

11. (CURRENTLY AMENDED) A ~~recording~~The computer-readable medium according to claim 10, wherein said order receiving server is a WWW server.

12. (CURRENTLY AMENDED) ~~A recording~~ The computer-readable medium according to claim 11, wherein said server-connection address information and designated print-order acceptor information are URL data for specifying a WWW page created for each receiver of the order.

13. (CURRENTLY AMENDED) ~~A recording~~ The computer-readable medium according to any one of claims 10 to 12, wherein said server-connection address information and designated print-order acceptor information are recorded when the digital image data is recorded in said ~~recording~~ computer-readable medium.

14. (CURRENTLY AMENDED) ~~A recording~~ The computer-readable medium according to any one of claims 10 to 12, wherein said designated print-order acceptor information is data that specifies a receiver of request to whom creation of said ~~recording~~ computer-readable medium has been requested.

15. (CURRENTLY AMENDED) ~~A recording~~ The computer-readable medium according to any one of claims 10 to 12, wherein said server-connection address information and said designated print-order acceptor information are renewable.

16. (CURRENTLY AMENDED) A ~~recording medium providing method~~ for providing a ~~recording~~ computer-readable medium on which digital image data have been recorded, wherein at least one of digital image data obtained by developing a photographic film before development and carrying out a photoelectrical conversion of the image after development, digital image data obtained by carrying out a photoelectrical conversion of the photographic film after development or an image of an image print, and digital image data recorded on other ~~recording~~ computer-readable mediums is recorded on a ~~single recording~~ said computer-readable medium, and the method comprising:

~~there is included a step of recording on said recording computer-readable~~ medium connection address data to a print order receiving server connected to a network, designated print-order acceptor information, and ~~data~~ a run program for causing ~~said~~ a terminal unit to connect to said print order receiving server through said network when the ~~recording~~ computer-readable medium is mounted to a said terminal unit and to transmit said digital image data and said designated print-order acceptor information at the same time to said print order receiving server so that said image data is printed according to said print-order acceptor information.

17. (CURRENTLY AMENDED) ~~A recording medium~~ The method for providing ~~method~~ the computer-readable medium according to claim 16, wherein said order receiving server is a WWW server.

18. (CURRENTLY AMENDED) ~~A recording medium~~ The method for providing ~~method~~ the computer-readable medium according to claim 17, wherein said server-connection address information and designated print-order acceptor information are recorded on said ~~recording~~ computer-readable medium as URL data for specifying a WWW page created for each receiver.

19. (CURRENTLY AMENDED) ~~A recording medium~~ The method for providing ~~method~~ the computer-readable medium according to any one of claims 16 to 18, wherein said designated print-order acceptor information is data that specifies a provider ~~to whom provision of that originally provided~~ said recording computer-readable medium is requested.

20. (CURRENTLY AMENDED) An image print ordering system, comprising:

one or more print service receiving servers connected to a network; and

a terminal configured to connect to the network and configured to mount a ~~recording~~ computer-readable medium, wherein

information stored within the ~~recording~~computer-readable medium includes connection address data of a selected print service receiving server among the one or more print service receiving servers, requested service shop data, and image data,

the terminal is configured to transmit print request data, the requested service shop data, and the image data at the same time to the selected print service receiving server via the network based on the connection address data, and

the selected print service receiving server is configured to transmit reception data to a requested service shop corresponding to the requested service shop data to fulfill a print order corresponding to the print request data and the image data transmitted from the terminal.

21. (PREVIOUSLY PRESENTED) The image print ordering system of claim 20, wherein the selected print service receiving server is configured to determine whether the requested service shop is an agency, and transmit the reception data to an alternate service shop to fulfill the print order when it is determined that the requested service shop is an agency.

22. (PREVIOUSLY PRESENTED) The image print ordering system of claim 21, wherein the alternate service shop is configured to deliver a resulting print to the requested service shop.

23. (PREVIOUSLY PRESENTED) The image print ordering system of claim 20, wherein the selected print service receiving server is configured to determine whether the requested service shop is unavailable, and transmit the reception data to an alternate service shop to fulfill the print order when it is determined that the requested service shop is unavailable.

24. (PREVIOUSLY PRESENTED) The image print ordering system of claim 23, wherein the selected print service receiving server is configured to provide to a user of the terminal one or more available service shops capable of fulfilling the print order when it is determined that the requested service shop is unavailable, and

receive the alternate service shop chosen by the user from the one or more available service shops.

25. (CURRENTLY AMENDED) The image print ordering system of claim 20, wherein the requested service shop originally records its data as the requested service shop data to the ~~recording~~ computer-readable medium.

26. (CURRENTLY AMENDED) The image print ordering system of claim 20, wherein

the ~~recording~~ computer-readable medium further includes an automatic run program, and

the terminal is configured to automatically execute the automatic run program when the ~~recording~~ computer-readable medium is mounted to the terminal to connect to the selected print service receiving server.

27. (CURRENTLY AMENDED) The image print ordering system of claim 26, wherein the ~~recording~~ computer-readable medium further includes a to-network connection program operated by the automatic run program.

28. (CURRENTLY AMENDED) The image print ordering system of claim 26, wherein the ~~recording~~ computer-readable medium further includes a viewer program for viewing and selecting images and generating the print request data, the viewer program being operated by the automatic run program.

29. (CURRENTLY AMENDED) A method for fulfilling a print request from a terminal by a print service receiving server, the method comprising:

receiving a print request to print one or more images from a terminal via a network; and

transmitting reception data to a requested service shop to fulfill a print order corresponding to the print request data and the image data received from the terminal,

wherein the print request is generated by the terminal based on information stored in a ~~recording~~computer-readable medium mounted on the terminal, and

wherein information stored in the ~~recording~~computer-readable medium include connection address data of the print service receiving server, service shop data of the requested service shop, and the image data such that the service shop data and the image data are transmitted at the same time in the print request by the terminal.

30. (PREVIOUSLY PRESENTED) The method of claim 29, further comprising:

determining whether the requested service shop is an agency; and

transmitting the reception data to an alternate service shop to fulfill the print request when it is determined that the requested service shop is an agency.

31. (PREVIOUSLY PRESENTED) The method of claim 29, further comprising:

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determining whether the requested service shop is unavailable; and
transmitting the reception data to an alternate service shop to fulfill the print request when it is determined that the requested service shop is unavailable.

32. (PREVIOUSLY PRESENTED) The method of claim 31, further comprising:

providing to a user of the terminal one or more available service shops capable of fulfilling the print order when it is determined that the requested service shop is unavailable; and

receiving the alternate service shop chosen by the user from the one or more available service shops.

33. (PREVIOUSLY PRESENTED) The image print ordering system of claim 26,

wherein the automatic run program executes an order content input processing program for viewing and selecting images and generating the print request data, and

wherein the automatic run program connects to the selected print service receiving server prior to running the order content input processing program.

34. (PREVIOUSLY PRESENTED) The image print ordering system of claim 33,

wherein the selected print service receiving server provides the order content input processing program to the terminal through the network.

35. (PREVIOUSLY PRESENTED) The method of claim 29, further comprising providing an order content input processing program to the terminal via the network prior to receiving the print request from the terminal, wherein the order content input processing program is executed by the terminal to generate the print request.

36. (NEW) The image print order system according to claim 1, wherein information of a print order requester are recorded on the computer-readable medium.

37. (NEW) The computer-readable medium according to claim 10, wherein information of a print order requester are recorded on the computer-readable medium.

38. (NEW) The method for providing the computer-readable medium according to claim 16, further comprising:

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recording information of a print order requester on the computer-readable medium.

39. (NEW) The image print ordering system of claim 20,
wherein the terminal is also configured to transmit a print order requester data to the selected print service receiving server, and
wherein the print order requester data is recorded in the computer-readable medium.

40. (NEW) The method of claim 29, further comprising:
receiving a print order requester information from the terminal via the network,
wherein the print order requester data is recorded in the computer-readable medium.